

that they must maintain a particular level of course offerings, a particular level of staff, that the staff must be teaching in their area of endorsements, and they can vary from those standards only very slightly. We have a lower standard, that is approval. Doesn't take quite the staff requirements. You don't have to have quite the course offerings. You don't have to have many of these other requirements. What we are doing with this is we are saying, okay, those of you that argued against the bill, because we merely struck out a category for a particular class of school, saying that we didn't pay any attention to quality, we are adding a quality factor to this bill. I would urge you to adopt this amendment.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you, sir. The question is the adoption of the Withem amendment. Those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Voting on the Withem amendment. Voting on the Withem amendment. Have you all voted? Have you all voted? Record.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 7 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of Senator Withem's amendment.

SPEAKER BARRETT: The amendment is adopted. Anything further on the bill?

CLERK: I have nothing at this time, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: We are back to the bill.

CLERK: Mr. President, I do have a motion. Senator Lamb would move to indefinitely postpone LB 444. The introducer has the option to lay it over, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Withem.

SENATOR WITHEM: Mr. Speaker, let me ask, what is your intention in terms of adjournment today?

SPEAKER BARRETT: It was my hope that we could adjourn by four o'clock for those members who wanted to tour the Mead operation.

SENATOR WITHEM: Because of that, I think I would be willing to let the bill lay over for a day so that we can accommodate the body with that other...

SPEAKER BARRETT: Remembering, of course, that we will not be back on Select File tomorrow.